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Application of : James B. Prichard, et al.
United States Serial No. : 10/685,994
Filed : October 15, 2003
Title : DRUM TYPE VENDING MACHINE
Group Art : 3651
Examiner : Rakesh Kumar

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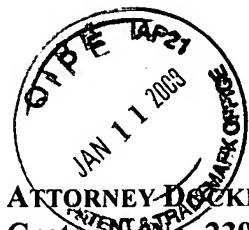
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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

No fees are believed to be necessary; however, in the event that any fees are required for the prosecution of this application, please charge any necessary fees to Deposit Account No. 50-0208. No extension of time is believed to be necessary. If, however, an extension of time is needed, the extension is requested and please charge the fee for this extension to Deposit Account No. 50-0208.

In response to the Office Action dated October 5, 2007, please amend the above-identified application as follows: